

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 3, line 15,

After line 15, after the paragraph added by the Amendment of August 7, 2006, (namely after the added paragraph stating: "Fig. 4 shows the view of Fig. 3 together with a carriageway and a fixing element, namely a nail, attaching the barrier element to a road surface.") please add the following new paragraphs:

Fig. 5 shows a perspective view of two connectable barrier elements of Figs. 2 and 3.

Fig. 6 shows a side partial cross-sectional view of connected barrier elements of Figs. 2 and 3.

Page 4, first paragraph, please amend as follows:

Barrier element 2 has two tenons 12 and 13 at the top on its left-hand free end (viewed in the drawing). A plate 14 with six holes, two of which holes 15 and 16 are shown, is fitted near the foot 32. Four of these holes are preferably fitted on the corner points of a rectangle.

Page 4, before line 23, insert the following new paragraph:

Fig. 5 shows a perspective view of two connectable barrier elements 1, 2 of Figs. 2 and 3. Fig. 6 shows a partial cross-sectional side view to show a mortise and tenon connection of barrier elements 1, 2 of Figs. 2 and 3. The holes 7, 8, 15, 16, respectively, provide a mortise connected to the tenons 12, 13, 10, 11. Foot parts 31, 32 of Figs. 2 and 3 are present in the embodiment of Figs. 5 and 6 but are not shown in Figs. 5 and 6. Likewise, foot parts 31, 32 of Figs. 2 and 3 are present in the embodiment of Fig. 1 but are not shown in Fig. 1.